

WORLD OF RADIO #1069, produced Feb 14, 2001 by Glenn Hauser

- \*RFPI's main frequency continues to be 7450, at least 0000-0800 UT
- \*New on RFPI is Live Wire Independent News, M-Th 1730 plus repeats 6 and 12 [not 18] hours later. <http://www.radioproject.org>
- \*WDWN 89.1 Auburn NY dropped WRN and WOR for automated music; see DXLD 1-017 for campaign to get WRN back
- \*New WOR time on WBCQ-2, UT Sunday 0200 on 9335-CUSB; late last week due to power failure which also interrupted debut of Saturday afternoon entertainment
- \*Marion's Attic also supposed to be UT Sundays 0000 on 17495 as well as UT Sundays 0200 on 7415
- \*Brother Scare interfered with 17495 from 17490 via Germany to NAM
- \*Christian Science Monitor Feb 8: Cutbacks at VOA Prompt Critical Chorus: <http://www.csmonitor.com/durable/2001/02/08/fp18s1-csm.shtml>
- \*Unidentified pirate heard on 19 MHz
- \*New Puerto Rican on 1660 is WGIT, Canovanas, better heard in Europe
- \*R. Casino, Costa Rica, reactivated
- \*We monitored Venezuela's ``Alo Presidente`` via Cuba Sunday morning; see DXLD 1-019
- \*Venezuelan MW harmonic R. San Felipe
- \*Colombian MW harmonics R. Microfono Civico, and listed R. Bohemia
- \*Rdif. Nacional, Colombia, running year-long contest on Club de Oyentes; see DXLD 1-021, which if you are hearing an early airing of this program, has not yet been published
- \*HCJB testing live streaming UT Feb 14-16, but not working when we checked; try <http://www.hcjb.org/streamindex.php> -- We would prefer ondemand programs at our convenience
- \*R. Nuevo Amanecer is latest name for frequently-changing Peruvian
- \*R. San Juan, Peru, frequency keeps changing
- \*R. El Libertador, Utcubamba province, Peru new one on 48 m band
- \*Voz Cristiana, Chile, transmitter site name is Calera de Tango
- \*Miami Springs 1700 confirmed now parallel to Voz Cristiana on SW
- \*Two Falkland Islands MW frequencies active, heard on cruise
- \*Less than half the time for WOR 1069 has now expired, and it seems I have covered less than a third of the material I want to; read more in DXLDs via the WOR website <http://www.angelfire.com/ok/worldofradio/>
- \*But we always want more info to [wghauser@hotmail.com](mailto:wghauser@hotmail.com) or P O Box 1684, Enid, OK 73702 USA
- \*Alan Roycroft, Hawaii, legendary engineer and a great friend of DXers, died Feb 12 at age 80
- \*R. Australia updated complete English program schedule may not be on their website, but is in DXLD 1-018
- \*This week's Feedback deals with RA schedule problems
- \*R. Western Highlands, Mount Hagen, Papua New Guinea, is back
- \*R. Republik Indonesia is finally constructing website <http://www.rrionline.com/> also with an overseas service page

- \*First internet TV station for [not from] Vietnam,  
<http://www.vietnet.tv> based in Switzerland; see DXLD 1-021
- \*R. Thailand original SW transmitters inactive; just using IBB Udorn
- \*John Bryant has compiled updated list of Japanese MW stations, pdf:  
<http://bryant.ceat.okstate.edu/RADIO1.HTM>
- \*China and Armenia clash on same frequency to Europe
- \*Azerbaijan again being heard on 32 meter band
- \*V. of Turkey changing a frequency to North America Feb 18, odd date
- \*R. Bopeshawa, Kurdish clandestine, believed coming from Bulgaria;  
address announced is P O Box 22266, London SE5, UK
- \*Abkhaz Radio, Georgia schedule
- \*Former Serbian broadcast chief in custody, charged with not  
evacuating broadcasting headquarters after notified of NATO bombers  
coming; Slobodan Miloshevich also knew; see DXLD 1-013 as well
- \*R. Liberty will start broadcasts in Chechen and other North  
Caucasian languages, and Russians complain; see DXLD 17, 18 and 21
- \*RFE/RL has just started publishing Media Matters, free by E-mail or  
website <http://www.rferl.org/mm/>
- \*Estonia not on SW, but English programs on demand via  
<http://www.er.ee/eng/uudis/>
- \*Three Vatican Radio officials, one a cardinal, to be tried for  
violating Italy's EMF standards; could go to prison for a year
- \*VOA Director Sandy Ungar staying in job, believing he is insulated  
from political control by the new ``president``
- \*But Deutsche Welle Intendant Dieter Weirich will step down March 31  
due to political changes; see DXLD 1-021
- \*Greg Dyke plans to axe 750 more BBC jobs this year, after 250 in his  
first year, saving a great many megapounds, total to exceed a  
gigapound saved over six years
- \*BBCWS website sidelined links to entertainment streams, in favor of  
news at the top <http://www.bbc.co.uk/worldservice>
- \*Waveguide on BBCWS airs Feb 16-19 instead of Write On
- \*Blues World on BBCWS Music Mix for six weeks
- \*Somaliland complains that BBC Somali news is not accurate and  
unbiased
- \*CHNX Halifax off the air again; may not come back
- \*CBC Northern Quebec has English from Rankin Inlet studio weekdays
- \*New Hampshire Public Radio converts format from classical to news-  
talk; see <http://www.nhpr.org>
- \*WNIB, Chicago classical is gone; Bonneville took over Feb 12, with  
one-artist-per-day stunts; real new format early spring a closely  
guarded secret. WFMT changes slogan from Fine Arts to Classical
- \*New Republic story on how NPR worked to limit or kill lowpower FM:  
<http://www.tnr.com/021201/wildman021201.html>
- \*WRN1 to NAm replaced Caribbean program with YLE Radio Finland
- \*Propagation outlook from Boulder, Feb 13; flux range 140-165-145
- \*With a standard disclaimer,
- \*Glenn Hauser concluding World of Radio 1069

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